

Vocabulary	Definition	In Context
1. warped-		
2. rickety-		
3. sulking-		
4. desperation-		
5. hospitality		

Research Topics	Notes
1. Black Sunday (storm) Sources:	

Questions	Responses (Responses should be thorough and complete)
1. In your own words, describe what Billie Joe is saying in <i>Heartsick</i> .	
2. What are the spots that Billie's father has on his skin? (The last line of <i>Skin</i> is a clue)	
3. The dust halted the mail. What letter was delayed in the mail because of this?	

4. "Mad Dog scooped a handful of dust, like a boy in a sandpit. He said, 'I love this land, no matter what.' I looked at his hands. They were scarless." Why do you think Billie noted that his hands were scarless?	
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Activity
<p>Many people decided to leave Oklahoma and head West. They did not have large moving vans like we have today. Create a plan how you would move out of the Dust Bowl. Where would you go? What would you take? How would you get your possessions there? Remember, you don't have much money. Also, how would you plan to support your family once you got there? (You may have to do some research) Write out or draw your plan below.</p>

In this section we get insight into how other people view the Depression and how it affects them. In the chart below, write how the Depression affects each of these people or groups of people.	
Person or Group	How the Depression Affects Them
Mad Dog	
migrants	
Mr. Kingsbury	
the mail train (employees and recipients)	
funeral goers	

